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Continuation:

In accordance with the MPEP section 714, claims 28 and 38 are not in compliance.

As to claim 28, line 4, the term "a" before the word "connection" was not shown by strike-through.

As to claim 38, line 8, the term "a" before the word "connection" was not shown by strike-through.

It should be noted that the deletion of the term "a" from the claims above would result in lack of antecedent basis with regard to the limitation "the mobile station connection" in both claims 28 and 34.

The MPEP section 714, 2) states in part:

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markings. If a withdrawn claim is currently amended, its status in the claim listing may be identified as "withdrawn — currently amended. "

Conclusion

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